KPI has taken the initiative to letter-grade schools. And it's all right here. As the table shows, 1,248 schools were graded based on the 2024 state assessment. Only two schools, one public – Timber Creek Elementary (USD 229) - and one private – Brookridge Day - earned an "A". Once again this year, no high school in the state (students are tested in the 10th grade) earned an "A". On the other end of the scale, 62 schools received an "F". Twenty-five of those are high schools.

The A-F Grading system is critical because it reveals the real state of performance of Kansas schools. While the state board of education and KSDE leads us to believe that "Kansas leads the world in the success of each student," our annual presentation and anal-

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23 and the north 84 feet of lot 24 in

Lily Fouse to Justin Metcalfe and Crystal Metcalfe: Lot 5 in

block 3 in Bailey's Orchard Park

Fred A Nolan and Nonnie J Nolan to

Timothy A Spencer Jr and Barbara

Christopher Eno and Crystal Eno to

Allan Engle and Carol Engle: Lot 5 & 6

blk 3 Parklane Addition (1970 revised)

Dakota Ferguson, Paige Ferguson

and Paige Scheckel FKA to Joseph W

Fritz and Sandi R Fritz: Lot 1 in block

Timothy Clark Jr and Tabitha M

Clark to Joshua Yoder: Beginning at

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of the sw/4 of 23-20-19, thence south

560 feet to fence, thence west along

said fence 652 feet to cross fence,

thence north along fence 688 feet to

but that the minerals deal on

its own will not guarantee

Ukraine's security. He has

offered increased support and

boots on the ground. If France

and Germany also step up, a

comprehensive, strong agree-

The proposal from President

Trump, which entails the U.S.

partnering with Ukraine to exploit that country's min-

erals and rare earths, has been described by Treasury

Secretary Bessent as an "ele-

gant" solution. It would accom-

allow Ukraine's valuable

resources to be developed.

Ukraine cannot manage such

an undertaking on its own,

since it lacks both the money

and know-how to do so. The

-Money from the mining and

production of these resources

would be available not just to

repay the U.S. taxpayer, but also to the repair of Ukraine,

which has been shattered by

-American voters will sup-

port our continued involve-

ment with Ukraine if they see some dividends; Congress will

- Large-scale U.S. investment

U.S. could provide both.

three years of war.

follow their lead.

-The partnership would

plish these objectives:

Jeff E Patterson: Lots 3 & 4 blk 25 City

M Spencer to Fred A Nolan: Lot 5 blk

1 May's Addition to City of Garnett.

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ment could result.

said block 14 to the City of Garnett.

ysis of state-produced data tells a much different story regarding student achievement. In a world that is increasingly distrustful of bureaucratic government information (and rightfully so), it is essential to have independent voices like KPI's to monitor and document realities. A-F Grading continues to be one such resource.

This grading system began in 2017 and has been produced annually, save 2020 when Governor Kelly shut down the schools during the pandemic.

KPI employs state assessment results reported by KSDE and translates raw scores (which range from 220 to 380 for math and for English language arts - ELA) into letter grades. (A full methodology outline, data, and definitions is available on the A-F Grading home page.) This process gives a more concrete explanation of those results.

A-F grading on the website

contains an abundance of data in addition to a school's overall letter grade. Included are: a pin mapping system that shows the location of each school, contact information, enrollment, per-pupil spending, grade-level grades for both low-income and other students, % of low-income students and proficiency rates for both math and English language arts (ELA).

The public education landscape continues to evolve, with more school choice options available to parents in many states. Most recently, the state of Tennessee signed into law a sweeping school choice initiative allowing thousands of parents to opt for alternatives to traditional public schools.

This school choice phenomenon was bolstered by needless school closures as a response to COVID-19; thankfully few districts in Kansas stayed closed for as long as those in major cities. Nevertheless, the harm of disruptions, virtual and part-time learning, skyrocketing absenteeism and the like is still being felt and likely will be for generations.

People are hungry for a change, especially those who feel stuck in underperforming schools. But the question is, where does one go to find out how any school in the state is actually performing?

A-F Grading continues to provide opportunities to explore questions surrounding the issue of school performance. Why do some schools continue to out-perform others? Why does the education establishment continue to lobby fiercely against parental freedom to choose the best educational opportunities for their children? Why doesn't the elected leadership at the state level recognize the sorry state of student achievement and provide those options?

booked into jail on October 10, 2024. Erika Bond was booked into jail on

October 31, 2024. Jeremy Lankard was booked into jail on November 18, 2024.

Walter Kerns was booked into jail on January 13, 2025.

ANDERSON COUNTY JAIL FARM-INS (as of January 22, 2025)

Christomer Hassell was booked into jail on September 12, 2024. Doyle Stryker was booked into jail on September 14, 2024.

Jesse King was booked into jail on September 30, 2024. Julio Casanovavega was booked

into jail on November 9, 2024. Joshua Franks was booked into jail on December 12, 2024.

Margo Doty was booked into jail on December 17, 2024.

Brandon Sage was booked into jail on January 4, 2025.

Joey Davis was booked into jail on

January 4, 2025. Tony Bass was booked into jail on

January 4, 2025.

Public Notice

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Notice of hearing - Dickes Estate

(First published in the Anderson County Review, Thursday, February 27, 2025)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ANDERSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of DAVID J. DICKES, Deceased. Case # AN-2025-PR-000002

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court by Vernon Stoltzfoos, friend of decedent, praying that Letters of Administration be granted to him as adminis-

You are required to file your written defenses to said petition on or before March 24th, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in the district court in Garnett, Anderson County, Kansas, at which time and

place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the said petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the above-captioned estate within the later of either (i) four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law or (ii) thirty days after actual notice was given as provided by law to those creditors whose identity is known or reasonably ascertainable; and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

> VERNON STOLTZFOOS Petitioner

TERRY J. SOLANDER #7280 503 S. Oak St. - P.O. Box 348 Garnett, KS 66032-0348 785-448-6131; FAX: 785-448-2475 solander@embargmail.com Attorney for Plaintiff

Notice of the 2025 Anderson County real estate market analysis

(First published in the Anderson County Review on February 27, 2025.)

Legal Notice

2025 Anderson County Real Estate Market Analysis Pursuant to K.S.A. 79-1460a

This market analysis is intended to satisfy the requirements of K.S.A. 79-1460a. It is not intended to be a complete narrative of market trends for individual properties in Anderson County, nor is it intended to describe the market trends for individual market areas within Anderson County. Neither is this an appraisal or market analysis that purports to comply with the uniform standards of professional appraisal practice. Rather, it is intended to give a broad countywide overview of real property market

A study of the residential real estate market indicated that there is an overall annual A study of the overall countywide commercial

real estate market indicated that there is an

overall annual inflationary increase of approx-

inflationary increase of approximately 11.48%

imately 11.19% countywide. A study of the real estate market for vacant land indicated that there is an overall annual inflationary increase of approximately 20.94%

countywide. The information listed above represents

countywide medians and is not intended to be a direct indicator of any particular property's value. Individual property values may change by more or less than the indicated trends due to differences in location, property characteristics, available market data, data comparability and market participant's preferences.

Notice of the hearing on application for a variance

(Published in the Anderson County Review on March 6, 2025.)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR A VARIANCE

Notice is hereby given that an application has been filed with the City of Garnett Board of Zoning Appeals for a variance described as follows

Case #: V 25-01 Applicant: James Gibson

Purpose of Variance: Build a Modular Home

Legal Discription: CHAPMANS ADD TO GARNETT, S30, T20, R20, BLOCK 6, S2 A public hearing before the City of Garnett Board of Zoning Appeals will be held regarding said application for a Variance:

Tuesday, March 18, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. City Commissioner's Room 131 West 5th Avenue, Garnett, Kansas, 66032

at which time written and oral comments will be considered by the City of Garnett Board of Zoning Appeals Information regarding said application may be reviewed prior to the meetting at the office of the City of Garnett Planning Director, 131 W. 5th Ave., Garnett Ks., 66032

City of Garnett Board of Zoning Appeals

Notice of the hearing on application for a variance

(Published in the Anderson County Review on and maximum injection pressure of 600 psi. March 6, 2025.)

Before the Kansas Corporation Commission Notice of Filing Application

Re: RJ Energy LLC. - Application for a permit to authorize the injection of saltwater for the enhanced recovery of oil on the following leases in Anderson County, Kansas.

To: All Oil and Gas Producers, Unleased Mineral Interest Owners, Landowners and all person whomever concerned.

You and each of you are hereby notified that RJ Energy LLC. has filed an application to commence the injection of saltwater in the Squirrel for the enhanced recovery of oil for the following leases

Roselle: 4 NW SW, 6 NW SW, 14 NE SE, RJ6 NW SW, 11 SE NE, 21 SE NE, 31 SE NE, 41 SW NW, 51 SW NW, 61 NW SW, 71 SW NW, 8I SW NW, 10I SW NW, 14I NE SW, 16I NW SW of Secs 4 and 5 Twp 21S R 21E with the maximum injection rate of 100 bbls per day and maximum injection pressure of 600 psi.

Kittle: 21 NE SE, 31 NE SE, 41 NE SE, 61 NE SE, 71 NW SE, 81 SE SE, 91 SE SE, 101 SE SE, 111 SE SE, 12I SE SE, 13I NE SE, 14I SE SE, 15I SE SE, 16I SW SE, 17I NW SE, 18I NW SE, 191 NW SE, 201 SW SE, 221 SW SE, 231 SE SE, 24I SW SE of Sec 5 Twp 21S R 21E with

Charles-Melcher: 6W SE SE of Sec 7 Twp 21S R 20E with the maximum injection rate of 100 bbls per day and maximum injection pressure

You and each of you are hereby notified that

RJ Energy LLC. has filed an application to commence the injection of saltwater in the Bartlesville for the enhanced recovery of oil for the following leases.

Roselle: 9I SE NW, 11I SE NW, 12I SE NW, 13I SE NW of Sec 4 Twp 21S R 21E with the maximum injection rate of 100 bbls per day and maximum injection pressure of 600 psi.

Any persons who object to or protest these applications shall be required to file their objections or protest with the Conservation Division of the Kansas Corporation Commission within 30 days from the date of this publication. Protest shall be filed pursuant to the Commission regulations and must state specific reasons why granting the applications may cause water, violate correlative rights or pollute the natural resources of the State of Kansas. All persons interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and shall govern them-

> RJ Energy LLC 22082 NE Neosho Rd Garnett, KS 66032

in Ukraine will deter Vladimir Putin from invading the

country, knowing Americans will be willing and eager to defend their property. That backstop that critics is the of the deal refuse to acknowlthe center line of state highway, K-31, thence in a southeasterly direction 680 feet to the pob. Larry Keim and Verna Keim to

Larry Keim co-trustee, Verna Keim co-trustee and Larry & Verna Keim Trust dated 2-17-2025

ANDERSON COUNTY TRAFFIC CASES FILED

Michael Allan Worthington has been charged with speeding 76 mph in a 65 mph zone.

Natasha Lea Hunter has been charged with speeding 75 mph in a 65 Jennifer A Foster has been charged

with speeding 77 mph in a 65 mph Lori Francene Lloyd has been

charged with speeding 82 mph in a 65 mph zone. Tamalei Ashlen Rice has been charged with speeding 80 mph in a 65

mph zone. Sarah Catherine Salyer has been charged with speeding 75 mph in a 65

Samantha Kaitlyn White has been charged with speeding 78 mph in a 65 mph zone and operating a vehicle

edge. However, a European

peace-keeping force adds more

-The arrangement provides

- The proposed scheme has

the added advantage of less-

ening U.S. reliance on China.

While Democrats are quick to

accuse Trump of policies that

favor Putin, few have explained

U.S. security without putting

protections.

boots on the ground.

without registration or an expired tag.

ANDERSON COUNTY **CRIMINAL CASES FILED**

Michael A Gigstad has been charged with driving under the influence of alcohol - 4th or subsequent offense and a defective tail lamp.

Robert Lee Foulk has been charged with purchase/possess/consume liquor by a minor 18-20 years; 1st conviction. **ANDERSON COUNTY**

CIVIL CASES FILED

Discover Bank has filed suit against Dustin Harrison in the amount of \$7,718.93 for purchases made, services rendered and cash advanced.

ANDERSON COUNTY JAIL ROSTER (as of February 5, 2025) Joseph Wilper was booked into jail

on October 20, 2023. Kevin Labelle was booked into jail on April 25, 2024.

Jason Boothe was booked into jail on June 26, 2024.

William Vandenberg was booked into jail on July 25, 2024. Porfirio De La Cruz-Cantu was

why Joe Biden insisted on energy diktats that clearly deepen our dependence on China. Pushing the U.S. towards electric vehicles or solar panels meant greater imports of critical materials from our number one enemy. Being able to source some of those ingre-

dients from a friendly nation would be a win. Trump's proposal makes sense, but becomes more credible and immediate with the involvement of Europe. The Oval Office brawl could, in the end, lead to peace. Everyone should be on

– Liz Peek is a Fox News con-

tributor and former partner of major bracket Wall Street firm

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Garnett City Bus

M-F 8:30 A.M.-4 P.M

Anywhere within Garnett City Limits.

(785) 433-1901

*\$3 suggested donation (all day use)

Rural Bus

M-W 8:30 A.M.-4 P.M

Travel limited to Anderson, Allen, Douglas & Franklin counties in coordination with route scheduling. \$7 suggested donation in county, \$10 suggested donation out of county.

(785) 433 - 1898

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27TH ANNUAI ST. PATRICK'S DAY (CLEBRATION

St. Patrick's Catholic Church - Emerald, Kansas Sunday, March 16, 2025 • 11am - 2pm

Corned Beef, Cabbage, Irish Soda Bread Delicious pies & more.

Suggested \$20 donation 6.5 miles south of Williamsburg on Colorado Rd., 8 miles east of Waverly on K-31, or

18 miles northwest of Garnett on K-31

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DAILY SPECIALS:

TUESDAY: TACOS

WEDNESDAY: FRIDAY CHICKEN THURSDAY: ROAST BEEF FRIDAY: CHICKEN & NOODLES

the maximum injection rate of 100 bbls per day

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HOMEMADE PIES! available